

**PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF HOLDING OF
ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.181**

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING REQUESTED
QUALITY OF SERVICE IN A HYBRID NETWORK

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The above-identified application became abandoned for allegedly failing to timely and properly reply to the Advisory Action mailed April 13, 2009 by the Examiner. However, a Notice of Appeal was filed on May 5, 2009, and an Appeal Brief was filed July 2, 2009, in response to the Advisory Action. Given the aforementioned information, Applicants request withdrawal of this Holding of Abandonment.

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR WITHDRAWAL
OF THIS HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

In support of this Petition, and in accordance with the requirements set forth by 37 C.F.R. 1.181(b), Applicants are attaching a copy of the Notice of Appeal electronically filed on May 5, 2009 along with the Acknowledgement receipt and a copy of the Appeal Brief filed on July 2, 2009 along with the Acknowledgement Receipt. Applicants are also attaching a printout from PAIR reflecting the receipt of the filed documents by the United States Patent & Trademark Office..

Since the holding of abandonment of this application was a result of an error made by the United States Patent & Trademark Office, no petition fee is required.

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